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Interview Summary	Application No. 09/778,597	Applicant(s) GIBBS, MELINDA EARL	
	Examiner Jerry A. Lorengo	Art Unit 1734	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) Jerry A. Lorengo. (3) _____
(2) Mr. Lawrence Crowe. (4) _____

Date of Interview: 20 August 2002 .

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____ .

Claim(s) discussed: 16-20 and 24-27 .

Identification of prior art discussed: N/A .

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

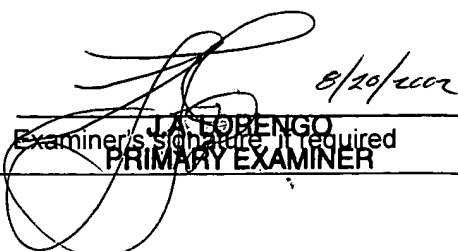
Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet .

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

- i) ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview(if box is checked).

Unless the paragraph above has been checked, THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.


J.A. LORENGO
Examiner's Signature (if required)
PRIMARY EXAMINER
8/20/2002

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: In response to the amendments and arguments filed July 8, 2002, the examiner had determined that applicant claims 1-10, 13-15, 20 and 22-23 were allowable over the prior art of record. Mr. Crowe was contacted by the examiner for authorization to cancel non-elected claims 16-19 and 24-27 and also cancel applicant claim 21 which embodied a duplicate embodiment of applicant claim 1. Mr. Crowe gave his authorization to cancel claims 16-19, 20 and 24-27 via examiner's amendment.